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Port-Royal in *Jamaica*, *Febr.* 13.

OUR Cruizers have lately brought in here 8 Prizes, one of them a French Merchant-man, very richly laden, and commanded by one Cordier, which was taken by Her Majeſty's Ship the Experiment. One of our Privateers, being in the Company of a Dutch Caper, has ſince taken and brought in a Spaniſh Advice-Boat of 14 Guns, bound for St. Domingo, and another of 22 Guns, bound for Havana and Vera-Cruz.

Turin, *March* 10. *N. S.* The Duke of Savoy went from hence the 6th Inſtant towards Aſti, in order to view the Fortifications, and the Troops which are in Gariſon there, intending afterwards to do the ſame at Chieri, Villa-Nova, Mondovi, Chieraſco, and ſeveral other Places, and to give the neceſſary Directions for putting them into a good Condition of Defence. His Royal Highneſs has given his Orders for the providing of this Town with all Neceſſaries for its Security, in caſe the Enemy ſhould attack it; and all Care and Diligence is uſed to put them in Execution.

Fribourg, *March* 27. The French continue to fill the Magazines at Strasbourg with Stores and Proviſions, moſt of which they receive from Burgundy. The Recruits for the Regiments in Alſace have begun to arrive from France; but the Men take all Opportunities to deſert, being moſt of them forced into the Service, and many too old, or otherwiſe unable to bear the Fatigues of it. The Confederates on the other hand are making the neceſſary Preparations againſt the next Campaign, and ſtill keep Fort Louis very cloſely blocked up.

Meminguen, *March* 28. The Diet of the Circle of Swabia, which has been aſſembled here during 4 weeks, ſeparated yeſterday, having appointed the Officers who are to command the Troops of this Circle during the next Campaign, and iſſued ſeveral Orders about the providing of the Artillery and Ammunition which they are to furniſh. The Quota of this Circle amounts to about 12000 Men, and is to be brought into the Field with all poſſible Expedition.

Maſtricht, *April* 5. The Troops of Saxe-Gotha in the Pay of the States General, which were in Gariſon here and at Liege, conſiſting of a Battalion of Foot, and 6 Squadrons of Horſe and Dragoons, are marched to Bonn, where they are to join another Battalion of the ſame Troops, and to proceed together towards Italy. A conſiderable number of the Confederate Troops that have lain during the Winter at Breda, Boiſleduc, and in other Gariſons, are come into our Neighbourhood, and are quartered in the Towns and Villages near the Maeſe; and more Troops are on their March, in order to join them. The Enemy are in like manner drawing their Forces together between Louvain, Tirlemont and Namur.

Bergenopzoom, *April* 5. The Regiment commanded by Major-General Lindeboom is lately arrived here from Williamſtad and Clundert, in which Places it has been quartered during the Winter. Major-General Heyden's Regiment marched from hence the 4th Inſtant towards Maſtricht. They write from Mons of the 31ſt paſt, That a French Regiment of Horſe was marched from thence that day, and another would march from Aeth the day following, being both commanded to Namur.

Falmouth, *April* 13. The Expedition Packet Boat arrived here the 8th Inſtant from Lisbon, having been 11 days in her Paſſage. The next day came in the Great Cortien, a Privateer belonging to Fluſhing, and brought in two Prizes; one called the Belle-Brune, of Nantz, of 250 Tuns, homeward bound from Martinico, and laden with Sugars, Cotton and Coco, which was taken after half an hour's Reſiſtance, wherein ſhe had her Main and Mizen Maſts ſhot by the Board: The other is named the St. Philip, of 200 Tuns Burthen, belongs to Bayonne, and was bound from thence with Salt, Wine and Brandy, for Newfoundland. Yeſterday came in the Catherine and Margaret of Middlebourg, Cornelius Loper Maſter, laden with Proviſions, and bound for Lisbon, having ſprung a great Leak, which obliged her to put into this Port to ſtop it.

Dartmouth, *April* 14. Two Dutch Men of War, with ſeveral outward bound Merchant Ships